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SUBJECT: UNGA SPECIAL SESSION: PRC STATEMENT

SUMMARY: VICE PREMIER TENG HSIAO-PING IN APRIL 10 STATEMENT TO UNGA SPECIAL SESSION CALLED FOR THIRD WORLD EFFORT TO OVERTHROW SUPERPOWER CONTROL, THE MOST VICIOUS AND PERFIDIOUS OF WHICH WAS THAT EXERCISED BY SOVIET UNION. AS RESULT OF SOCIAL IMPERIALISM, SOCIALIST CAP NO LONGER EXISTS. HE REITERATED CHINA'S CLAIM TO BE MEMBER OF THIRD WORLD AND GAVE FULL SUPPORT TO IT, CALLED FOR THIRD WORLD CONTROL OVER OWN RESOURCES AND FOR ORGANIZATION OF RAW MATERIAL EXPORTING COUNTRIES. HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT DIFFERENCES IN THIRD WORLD WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO DISRUPT NECESSARY UNITY. TENG SAID CURRENT CAMPAIGN IN CHINA

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WAS AIMED AT INSURING CONTINUATION OF SOCIALISM AND ASSERTED THAT

IF CHINA EVER BECOMES SUPERPOWER-SOCIAL IMPERIALIST, THE PEOPLE OF WORLD SHOULD WORK TO OVERTHROW HER. END SUMMARY.

1. IN STATEMENT ON OPENING DAY OF UNGA SPECIAL SESSION, TENG HSAIAO-PING DESCRIBED WORLD AS SPLIT INTO THREE INTER-CONNECTED AND CONTRADICTORY PARTS. FIRST WAS SUPERPOWERS US AND SOVIET UNION, SECOND WAS DEVELOPED COUNTRIES AND THIRD DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. HE SAID SOCIALIST CAMP, AS A RESULT OF SOCIAL IMPERIALISM, NO LONGER EXISTS.
 2. THROUGHOUT SPEECH, TENG CRITICIZED TWO SUPERPOWERS FOR TRYING TO BRING DEVELOPING COUNTRIES UNDER THEIR CONTROL. SOVIET UNION, HOWEVER, WAS SINGLED OUT AS ESPECIALLY VICIOUS, UNSCRUPULOUS, PERFIDIOUS AND SELF-SEEKING. TENG DEVOTED AN ENTIRE PARAGRAPH TO DESCRIBING SOVIET NEOCOLONIALISM'S ECONOMIC PLUNDER, CALLING USSR INTERNATIONAL MERCHANT OF DEATH BECAUSE OF ARMS SALES. TENG ACCUSED SOVIETS OF BUYING ARAB OIL AT A LOW PRICE AND SELLING IT AT HIGHER PRICE.
 3. TENG EMPHASIZED THAT CHINA WAS A MEMBER OF THIRD WORLD, FULLY SUPPORTS IT AND IS COMMITTED TO HELP OTHERS DEVELOP THEIR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIES. HE STRESSED SELF-RELIANCE, POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE, AND CONTROL OF ALL NATURAL RESOURCES BY EACH DEVELOPING COUNTRY. TENG URGED FORMATION OF VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS OF RAW MATERIAL EXPORTING COUNTRIES. HE SUPPORTED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES' PERMANENT SOVEREIGNTY OVER NATURAL RESOURCES. HE SAID SELF-RELIANCE DID NOT MEAN REJECTION OF FOREIGN AID AS LONG AS SUCH AID WAS NOT CONDITIONAL.
 4. TENG STRESSED NEED FOR THIRD WORLD TO UNITE AND NOT ALLOW DIFFERENCES TO DEVELOP WHICH WOULD PERMIT SUPERPOWERS TO CONTINUE MANIPULATION, CONTROL AND PLUNDER. IN THIS CONNECTION, HE WELCOMED ACTIVE EFFORT BY OIL PRODUCING COUNTRIES TO FIND APPROPRIATE WAYS TO FIND REASONABLE SOLUTIONS TO ENERGY PROBLEM.
 5. TURNING TO INTERNAL EVENTS, TENG SAID CULTURAL REVOLUTION AND CURRENT CRITICISM OF LIN BIAO AND CONFUCIOUS WAS AIMED AT ENSURING THAT CHINA WOULD REMAIN SOCIALIST. TENG SAID THAT IF CHINA SHOULD EVER TURN INTO A SUPERPOWER, PEOPLE OF WORLD SHOULD IDENTIFY HER AS SOCIAL IMPERIALIST, EXPOSE, OPPOSE AND WORK TOGETHER TO OVERTHROW HER.
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